

## **ABSTRACT**

Provided is a printing apparatus which receives a print instruction, then obtains and prints print data including plural pieces  
5 of sub-data, and

the printing apparatus includes: a print data obtainment unit (interpreter 1203) which obtains the sub-data; a determination unit (rasterizer 1202) which determines whether or not there is necessity of further obtaining of the obtained sub-data, by the  
10 interpreter 1203, in order to complete printing of the print data; and a notification unit (communication I/F 1204) which notifies a result of the determination, to a print instruction apparatus which issues the print instruction, when the determination is made that there is no necessity.